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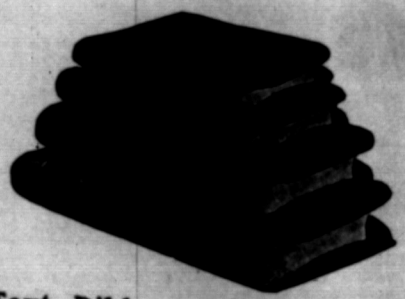

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MINUTES.

FIRST DAY.

The Calhoun Baptist Association met this day in its 28th annual session with Gaston Springs Church, Calhoun county

Miss. The association was called to order by the former moderator, Lee Linder, and was led in prayer by J J Gibson.

Call for Church letters and A. A. Bruner and J. A. Killings. worth appointed reading clerks. The following messengers was enrolled as follows:

AIR MOUNT—W. R. Howell.

ANTIOCH (Calhoun County) C. C. Cobb, E. Stanford and J. L. Roan

ANTIOCH (Lafayett County)—Not represented.

BANNER—P. W. Pascle, L. M. Howell.

CONCORD—J. F. McKibben, Lee Linder, W. H. Vanlandingham.

DIVIDING RIDGE—Not represented.

DRIVERS FLAT—

DUNCAN HILL—O L Alexander G W Sprayberry J F Ward

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MOUNT MORIAH—W F Cook W J Cain A F Brasier

MOUNT TABOR—B D Bryant J J Hallum

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PLEASANT RIDGE—S Box.

PLEASANT GROVE—Not represented

PROVIDENCE—Claud Bell, Cleve Lindsy
ROCKY MOUNT—L R Guthrie J O Brown
SAREPTA—G W Riley, G W Leachman, Eli Griffin.
SHIRLEY RIDGE—J T Dye, W S Ellis, G L Vanlandingham.
SPRING CREEK—Sam Davis.
TURKEY CREEK—F M Morgan.

After the letters were read, on motion and second, the Association suspended business for preaching. The introductory sermon was preached by the appointee, G W Riley, Theme: "The gospel of repentance," Acts, 5th 31st. Adjourned one hour for refreshments.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Association called to order by the moderator. Prayer by Lee Linder. On motion and second the Association proceeded to the election of officers by ballot. J J Gibson, J M Blue, and James Smith appointed tellers. The following brethren were elected officers: G W Riley, Moderator; R H Cruthirds. Clerk; J M Blue, Treasurer.

On motion and second the former order of business was adopted.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1—Called to order.
2—Call for and reading of church letters.
3—The election of officers.
4—Call for petitionary letters.
5—Appointment of committees.
6—Reports of committees.
7—Motions and resolutions.

Corresponding delegates were called for. J J Gibson, James Smith and F M Smith reported as correspondents from the Chickasaw Association.

Resolved that any member of this Association who is present at the meeting of any Association with whom we correspond is authorized to act as correspondent from this body upon the

presentation of a minute or other evidence of good standing.

On motion and second the petitionary letter from Midway Baptist Church was received, the Moderator extending the right hand of fellowship to the delegates welcoming them into the Association.

On motion and second a committee of five be appointed by the Moderator to investigate the letter from Hopewell Church. The Moderator appointed W T Ward, Dr. W H Hardin, Lee Linder and G W Wright.

Committee on Mississippi College and education: S E, Wallace, W T Ward and Smith Long.

Foreign Missions: J F McKibben, Lee Linder and J L Roane. Finance committee: L M Howell.

Committee on nomination: W A Pilgreen, J J Hallum and Andy Ruth.

Devotional committee: G D Collums, J W Stillman, with Deacons of the Church.

Committee on Sabbath Schools: J A Killingsworth, Dr. W H Hardin and J H Willis.

Committee on publications: T H Smith, Archie Powell and G W Leachman.

Committee on Orphans Home: J F McKibben, J H Willis and J L Roane.

Report of committees called for.

The report on prohibition was read by Miss Susie Killingsworth; discussed by A A Bruner, J F McKibben, J J Gibson, G D Collums, W T Ward and T H Smith. Report adopted as read: As we have been appointed to write a report on prohibition we submit the following:

It is our firm belief that intoxicating liquors are one of the greatest evils the human race has to contend with and that they are among the Devil's best weapons with which to fight religion. It is useless to enumerate the great catalogue of sins and troubles that these poisonous, death-dealing drinks cause, for that is well known already. But we recommend that we, as a denomination, strive to hold every inch of ground that we

have gained and never give up the fight until we have gained a complete victory, and got state prohibition. Brethren, we ought to feel encouraged. Twenty years ago we had the open saloon at almost every cross-roads town in the state. Now, out of the seventy-five counties in the state, there are only twelve which keep up this hateful practice. Not only have the number of saloons decreased in Mississippi, but throughout our whole South land. Out of the two hundred and forty counties in Texas, there are only forty-six wet ones. There are twenty-seven thousand saloons in the Southern states, while in the state of New York alone, there are thirty thousand.

We urge that each church of this Association enforce strict discipline as to the members practicing social dram drinking and also that we, as citizens, assist our officers in enforcing our present prohibition laws when we can.

Respectfully submitted.

Elam Church.

Adopted, Saturday before the 3rd Sunday in Sept. 1903.

On motion and second, the Association adjourned till Thursday morning, 8:30 a. m. and was led in prayer by J. F. McKibben.

SECOND DAY'S MORNING SESSION.

Association met at 8:30 a. m. Devotional services conducted by J L Roane.

The Association called to order by the moderator, the minutes of first day was read and approved. On motion and second that the investigating committee appointed to investigate the matter of unscriptural marriage in the membership of Hopewell church be empowered to investigate all other cases of similar circumstances

Report on Foreign Missions was read by J. F. McKibben, discussed by J. F. McKibben, J. A. Killingsworth, J. J. Gibson, S. E. Wallace, G. W. Riley, A. A. Bruner and J. L. Roane. Report adopted as read.

REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSION.

God is the author of missions, he started this work because he loved the world, he gave his son and afterwards his spirit. He calls all who love him to the work of giving the gospel in all the world to every creature. The difficulties being very great, Christ promised his power and presence. Satan does not want that blessed work to advance and so has done all in his power to oppose and retard it, using ignorance, superstition, wickedness in every form in heathen lands and predjudice, selfishness, negligence and other sins in christian lands, so that today, nineteen centuries after Christ came, two thirds of the race are groping in sins, darkness and blight. In the last century there has been a great advance in Missions and it has brought glorious results in foreign lands and blessed results in the churches in Christian lands. There is an increase of laborers on the field while at home, millions of women and men are praying and receiving Heavenly blessings. In Augusta, Ga. May 1845 the Southern Baptist Convention was organized. Representatives of various churches in several states organized this body to enable them effective tc God's work. The Convention appointed a standing committee on Foreign Mission, a board is appointed each year by the Convention. It consists of 21 members who live in Richmond Va., all of them tried and true men. Respectfully submitted.

J. F. McKibben
Lee Linder | Committee.
J. L. Roane

Report on Home and State missions presented and read by G W Riley. Discussed by G W Riley. On motion and second the Association adjourned for preaching. Sermon by J. J. Gibson. Adjourned one hour for refreshments.

SECOND DAY. AFTERNOON SESSION.

REPORT ON HOME AND STATE MISSIONS.

Association called to order by the Moderator and was led in prayer by J H Willis. The discussion on Home and State missions continued by J A Killingsworth. The report adopt-

ed as read: Home mission is that division of the work conducted by the Home Mission Board, located at Atlanta, Ga. It was organized in 1845 for the special purpose of preaching the gospel to the destitute parts of the Southern Baptist Convention, especially to the foreign population, that is so rapidly filling up our country. Its work also extends to Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philipine Islands. The work has gradually increased from the first until now, so it has been a wonderful factor in spreading the gospel. The work has so wonderfully increased in recent years that from 1898 to 1903 the contribution has doubled; our state mission work has grown with equal rapidity so that it is doing a great work in supplying the destitution in our state and both divisions of the work are worthy of our support. We haven't the statistics of last year's work at hand and therefore cannot give them, but the interest of the work is rapidly growing in the hearts of the people and they are giving their support and influence, as never before, and we would urge our Churches to contribute liberally of their means to this great work as the Lord requires them.

Summary of Home Mission work—Churches and Stations, 3,133; Sermons, and addresses 85,315; praymeetings 12,232; Religious visits, 163,587 Baptisms 8,969, Receveid by letter 1,716, Total additions 18,690, Churches constituted 127, Houses of worship built and repaired 280, Sunday Schools organized 494.

Respectfully submitted.
Mt. Comfort Church.

REPORT ON PASTORAL SUPPORT.

The report on Pastoral Support was presented and read by A. T. Smith, discussed by A. T. Smith, T. H. Smith, W. T. Ward, J. W. Trusty, G. W. Riley, J. J. Gibson, report adopted as read

"Is it the duty of church members to support their pastor?" "Yes," is a full and complete answer. Proof: "Preach the word," 2nd Timothy, 4th and 2nd. "He commanded us to preach unto the people," Acts 10, 42. "How shall they preach except they be sent," Romans, 10, 15. "Carry neither purse,

nor script, nor shoes for the laborer is worthy of his hire," Luke, 10, 1 to 7.

The divine command is to preach the word to all the world and in order to do so provisions must be made for the ministers temporal welfare. As to how much to give, depends on various conditions. The financial ability of the church, and the spiritual and mental capacity ot the pastor, are very weighty considerations on the question of how much to give. Various other circumstances such as place, social standing, number and health of family, should be considered. I do not argue that we should enrich the pastor, but if he is worthy the call, he should be provided with a competency for himself and family, so that he may have time to study and to preach the word, untrammelled by temporal wants.

Respectfully submitted,
A. T. Smith, For Pittsboro Church.

RFPORT ON PUBLICATIONS.

Report on publications presented and read by A C Powell, discussed by J. F. McKibben, G. W. Riley, J. J. Hallum. Report adopted as read.

We your committee to whom was referred the subject of Publications, would submit the following. The reading matter that is set before the mind, especially of the young, has a great deal to do with the shaping of the character through life. It is a fact that goes without saying that where there is a proper amount of reading matter of high moral character, placed before a family with proper encouragement to read the same, that the children of that family grow up and develop into a moral and religious life as a rule, where another that has no religious literature go off into immorality. As to the publications to be recommended, we would always place the bible first and above all others, then we would recommend our state paper. the Baptist, from which we may keep posted on our state work. Futher we recommend the Orphans Gem, Kind Words

and the Foreign Mission Journal. Respectfully submitted,

A. C. Powell
T. H. Smith
G. W. Leachman
Committee.

On motion and second the Association adjourned till Friday morning 8:30 a. m. and was led in prayer by G W Wright.

THIRD DAY—MORNING SESSION.

The Association met at 8:30 a. m. Devotional services conducted by J J Hallum. The Association called to order by the Moderator and was led in prayer by J L Roane. The minutes of the preceeding day was read and approved.

On motion and second the report of the special committee, appointed to investigate the matter of Hopewell Church (Pontotoc county)and all other Churches under similar circumstances was called for. Presented by W T Ward and read by A A Bruner. The report was adopted with an amendment and the committee was discharged.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

We, your committee to whom was referred the matter of Hopewell Church, and others in like condition, would beg leave to report the following: 1st, we believe from the evidence we have at hand that the Church is committing an error in reclaiming Bro. R. H. Burson in her membership as it is clearly shown from Math. 19 chap. 9 verse, that he is living in adultery and should be disciplined accordingly, but as the delegates from said Church asked time to set their Church in order, we would recommend that the Association defer action until the meeting of the next Association, We further learn that Driver's Flat has a member like condition, also that Poplar Springs has a member who is under suspicion, likewise that Mt. Comfort has a member, in the person of Bro. John Vanhooser, that from the evidence we have at hand, is clearly living in adultery. We are also informed that there are three cases in Mount Moriah Church that demand the attention of the Association. We would recommend that all the above

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Dr. W. H. Hardin,
Lee Linder,
G. W. Wright,
T. H. Smith. | Committee.

REPORT ON ORPHANS HOME.

The report on Orphans Home was read by J. F. McKibben; discussed by J. F. McKibben, J. D. Collums, J. W. Trusty A. A. Bruner, T. H. Smith, and J. L. Roane. Report adopted and a collection of $15 taken up for Home.

The Orphans Home, now six years old, and is no longer an experiment, but is a permanent fixture, under the supervision of a board of trustees, consisting of eighteen brethren, appointed by the State Convention during this year. It changed superintendants and has made some advancements all along the lines. It has advanced in value of property, in contributions, and increased in number of children. The farm under the charge of Bro. Derrick is rapidly coming to be a considerable source of help to the Orphanage, but we find it is some in debt and may God help us to press all in its claims.

Respectfully submitted,

J. F. McKibben,
J. H. Willis, | Committee.
J. L. Roane.

REPORT ON MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE AND EDUCATION.

Report on Mississippi College and Education presented and read by S E Wallace. Report adopted as read.

Mississippi College is a Baptist college, belonging to the Baptists of Mississippi, and has for fifty-three years grown ever since—brought by the Baptist to one hundred thousand dollars endowment—and is an institution to fit men for every honorable position in life, especially to educate preachers. Quite a number of ministers of the gospel have gone out to

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all parts of the world and have accomplished untold good. For this reason we, as Baptists, should first, with our prayers; second, with our means, then as much so as possible send our children to Mississippi College; then if God should call them to preach they are prepared for their life's work. Brethren, this is a day of education and we, as Baptists, should not be behind, but in front as we preach a full gospel and our people should be educated, both ministers and laity, as much so as possible, to meet the enormous doctrines preached almost eveywhere. While we do not believe it takes a complete education to preach a pure gospel, yet it makes it much easier on the ministry and better on the laity. If you cannot send your children to our College, send them to the free school as much as possible.

S. E. Wallace,
W. T. Ward, } Committee.

REPORT ON WOMAN'S WORK.

Report on womans work presented and read by G. W. Riley and on motion, the report on Woman's Mission Union, from Elam church was read by J. W. Baskerville and the reports were discussed together by J. F. McKibben, J. L. Roane J. J. Gibson, A. A. Bruner. Reports adopted as read.

We your committee on Woman's work, would report as follows. As far as is known to your committee there is no organized woman's work in the bounds of our Association, but our women are doing their work quietly, through the churches according to the teachings of God's word. Respt. submitted.

Sarepta Church.

After another Associational year, we are brought together again through the loving care of our Heavenly Father to consider the interests of his Kingdom. For his tender mercies our hearts would exclaim, "Bless the Lord, O my soul, bless his holy name." Looking over the past year, we have good cause to feel greatly encouraged. More women are interested and more societies organized than ever before. We should realize more fully the necessity of our work and do as command-

ed in Matthew 5, 16: "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your father which is in Heaven." We do most earnestly pray that the ladies of every church in the Calhoun Association may organize a society and help carry on this noble work. We gave our plan of work in last years report, also the amount in the treasnry then. With that amount and some added, we have since furnished our new church with pews and lamps. The dues, birthday offerings and other contibutions since last Association amount to $51.15. We kindly ask the Association if it will not accept any more lady delegates to the Associaton, to please accept $15 for Missions. We send our President, Mrs. A. A. Bruner, as a delegate from our society, praying that she may be granted the privilege of representing this work to the ladies attending this Association. Respectfully submitted,

Woman's Missionary Union, Elam Church.

On motion and second, the Association suspended business for preaching sermon by T. H. Smith, Association adjourned one hour for refreshments.

REPORT ON SABBATH SCHOOLS.

Report on Sabbath Schools was presented and read by J A Killingsworth, the report adopted as read.

We your committee, to whom was referred report on Sabbath schools, respectfully submits the following. There is not that interest in many of our churches that should be in this work. The Sabbath school should be regarded by every church as the nursery of the church, where the children are brought together for the study of the Word of God. The most Godly and consecrated of our churches should be placed in charge of this work and the entire influence of all the church should be directed in the work. If all our churches would take hold of this work as they should, we would in a very short time, douole our membership and very greatly strengthen

our present membership. Respectfully submitted.

J. A. Killingsworth
Dr. W. H. Hardin | Committee.
J. H. Willis

REPORT ON STATE OF RELIGION.

The report on State of religion presented and read by J. M. Blue, the report adopted without discussion.

We your committee beg to submit the following report That the State of Religion is still moving onward and upward. We realize that God is blessing and elevating his people in many ways. We notice from reading of the letters of different churches of this Association, but very few of them mention their spiritual condition. But we do notice the number that each church has received by experience of grace and baptism. This itself shows that many of the churches have had glorious revivals and that the Lord has blessed the efforts of his children wonderfully. While the ingathering has been small at some of the churches, we hope that their labors are as bread cast upon the waters will be gathered later. Dear brethren and sisters, we do feel and know that we have been blessed in so many ways since the meeting of last Association that we should be encouraged to set out for the next twelve months with more zeal and a greater determination than ever before to do the will of our blessed Master. Respectfully submitted.

Levi Harrelson | Committee.
J. M. Blue |

THIRD DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Association called to order by the Moderater. J. J. Gibson led in prayer

Report of Treasurer presented and read by A. A. Brunner. Report adopted as read.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Total cash on hand last report.....$206 13

Paid R. J. Willingham			$75	00
Paid F. C. McKonnel			66	20
Paid A. V. Rowe			17	33
Paid Orphanage			47	60
Total	206	13	206	13

MISSIONS.

Received from:—

Hopewell (Yalobusha)	7	85
Irvin Smith	1	00
Elam Church	29	15
Elam Sunday School	9	25
Elam W. M. Union	15	00
Sarepta	18	84
Concord	17	75
Meridian	5	00
Rock Mount	10	50
Mt. Comfort	10	80
Macedonia	16	05
Pleasant Ridge	3	00
Mt. Tabor	15	40
Shirley Ridge	5	00
Antioch (Calhoun)	5	00
Air Mount	6	50
Banner	20	00
Duncan Hill	5	00
Hopewell (Pontotoc)	1	25
Hebron	4	15
London Hill	5	00
New Prospect	13	00
New Liberty	4	55
Old Town	7	50
Poplar Springs	18	20
Pittsboro	15	00
Pine Grove	6	00
Providence	4	05

Pilgrim's Rest	4 00	
Spring Creek	4 60	
Turkey Creek	7 60	
Mt. Moriah	50	
Gaston Springs	8 30	
G. D. Collums	2 50	
Orphanage collecton	15 00	
Paid S. S. Board (Bible fund)		2 00
Paid A. V. Rowe		31 80
Paid R. J. Willingham		10 00
Paid Orphanage		18 47
Paid on postage		70
Cash in hand, F. M.		107 22
Cash in hand, S. M.		11 40
Cash in hand, H. M.		98 25
Cash in hand Orphanage		40 70
Cash in hand Disabled ministers		1 75
Total	322 29	322 29

Respectfully submitted,
A. A. BRUNNER, ex-Treasurer

On motion and second J. A. Killingsworth, A. T. Smith, and T. H. Smith was appointed to draft a constitution of this Association to be submitted at the next meeting of the Association.

REPORT ON NOMIMATIONS.

The report on nominations presented and read by J. J. Hallums.

We your committee on nominations beg leave to report as follows: The next Association to meet with Elam Church, Yalobusha county, three miles east of Coffeeville, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday after the 4th Sunday in September, 1904 introductory sermon to be preached by J. L. Roane, T. H. Smith alternate. We recommend M. D. L. Howell, J. F. McKibben and J. A. Killingsworth as the executive board.

PROGRAM OF THE FIFTH SUNDAY MEETINGS.

Second fifth Sunday Meeting to meet with the Spring Creek Church, on the fifth Sunday in January 1904. S. E. Wallace to preach the introductory sermon, subject: To whom was the last commission given, and how to be accomplished. 2nd, What is the means used by God, the Father, in drawing men to Christ: J. A. Killingsworth. 3rd—What is the relation between Baptism and the Lord's supper.

Third Fifth Sunday Meeting to meet with Midway Church Calhoun county, on the fifth Sunday in May, 1904. 1st—Introductory sermon by J. L. Roane. Subject: To whom was the last commission given, and how is it to be accomplished. 2nd—What is the extent of the atonement and how is its benefits applied, J. L. Roane. 3rd—Has a Church the right to omit the Lord's supper? If has not what is the offense, G. W. Wright and W. A. Pilgreen.

J. J. Hallums,
Andy Ruth, | Committee.

COMMITTEES.

Foreign Missions, Gaston Springs; Publications, New Prospect; Prohibition, London Hill; Sabbath Schools, Meridian; Orphans Home, Old Town; Home and State Missions, Mt. Tabor; State of Religion, Spring Creek; Mississippi College and Education, Airmount; Pastoral Support, Turkey Creek; Woman's work, Banner.

On motion Bro. S. E. Wallace was elected to represent the Association at the next meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention.

RESOLUTIONS.

1st. Resolved that it is the sense of this Association not to retain any Church in its midst that will hold fellowship with any preacher that is addicted to drinking intoxicating drink.

2nd. Resolved that the thanks of this body is hereby tendered to the Gaston Springs Church and community for their hospitality during the sitting of this Association.

3rd. Resolved that we urge the churches to contribute means to send their pastors to the Southern Baptist Convention, to be paid over to the deacons of each church by April, 20th 1904.

4th. Resolved that the clerk superintend the printing and distribution of the minutes and that he be allowed $7.50 for his services.

APPORTIONMENT OF MISSION MONEY MADE BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD.

The churches to contribute to Home and State Missions, Foreign Missions or Orphans Home, as they prefer and it shall be so used.

AIR MOUNT	$15 00	ANTIOCH (Calhoun Co.)	7.50
ANTIOCH (Lafayette Co.)	6.00	BANNER	20.00
CONCORD	15.00	DRIVERS FLAT	5.00
DIVIDING RIDGE	5.00	DUNCAN HILL	6.00
ELAM	20.00	FRIENDSHIP	7.50
GASTON SPRINGS	15.00	HOPEWELL (Yalobusha)	5.00
HOPEWELL [Pontotoc]	6.00	HEBRON	10.00
LONDON HILL	6.00	LIBERTY	5.00
MACCEDONIA	16.00	MERIDIAN	5:00
MT. COMFORT	10.00	MT. MORIAH	8.00
MT. TABOR	15.00	NEW PROSPECT	7 50
NEW LIBERTY	15.00	OLD TOWN	15.00
POPLAR SPRINGS	20.00	PITTSBORO	20.00
PINE GROVE	5.00	PILGRIMS REST (Cal.)	7.50
PILGRIMS REST (Yal.)	5.00	PLEASANT RIDGE	5.00
PROVIDENCE	10 00	PLEASANT GROVE	5.00
ROCKY MOUNT	10.00	SAREPTA	10.00
SHIRLEY RIDGE	6.00	SPRING CREEK	12.50
TURKEY CREEK	15.00		

On motion and second the Association adjourned to meet with Elam church, three miles east of Coffeeville, Yalobusha county, Miss., Wednesday after the 4th Sunday in September 1904. Prayer by J. L. Roane.

G. W. RILEY, Moderator.
R. H. CRUTHIRDS. Clerk.

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Antioch....	Calhoun...	Banner.	J. L. Roane	J. G. Henry		10	2	2	2	1		77		$250		1 00
Antioch....	Lafayette.	Sarepta.										18				
Banner....	Calhoun...	Banner.	J. J. Gibson	L. M. Howell	1	3	15	15				67				75
Concord	Calhoun...	Ellard.	J. F. McKibben	S A, Brown	3		3	3	1		1	113				1 50
Driver's Ft..	Lafayette.	Paris.										60				
DividingRige	Yalobusha	Youngs.										75				
Duncan Hl..	Calhoun...	Derma	S. E. Wallace	O. L. Alexander	1	6	6					52	35 00			75
Elam.....	Yalobusha	Coffeeville	J. L. Roane	H. P. Pate		7	10	11		9	1	95		800		1 15
Friendship ..	Calhoun...	Ellzey.	J A Kil'ngsworth	F, Y. Martin	3	1	2	8			1	77				
GastonSprngs	Calhoun	Pittsboro	J. L. Roane	W. A. Pilgreen	4	1	1	5	1			103	50 00	300		1 20
Hopewell....	Pontotoc..	Randolph.	John Mitchell	H. E. Brumett	4	3		4		1		57				1 15
Hopewell....	Yalobusha	Velma.	B. J. McKee	W. H. Evans		10	3	2	3	5	1	55		400		70
Hebron.....	Pontotoc..	Randolph:	E. McGregor	W. H. Tutor	1	2	2	4			1	89				1 25
London Hll..	Lafayette.	Delay.	T. H. Winter	C. W. Hodge					1	1	1	66				70
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Macebon	Calhoun ..	Pittsboro	G. W. Riley	J. H. Powell	3	11	5	6				111	50 00	300	400	1 25
Meridian....	Calhoun	Loyd.	J. F. McKibben	G. B. Kitto	4		2	7				39				75
Mt. Comprt..	Calhoun.	Pittsboro	G. W. Riley	J. O. Rich	4			3		1		63				1 00
Mt. Morah ..	Calhoun.	Bishop	A. J. Gaines	W. F. Cook	3	8	5	3	4	1	1	102				90
Mt. Tabor....	Calhoun.	Burke	S. E. Wallace	R. H. Cruthirds	4	18	1			1		123		300		1 50
Midway.....	Calhoun.	Blue	A. C. Ball	J. M. Blue	3	12	5	5				182				1 30
New Prospect	Chickasaw.	Bowles	J. R. Sumner	G. H. Hannaford	4	1	3	1	1	1	1	47	50 00	300		60
New Liberty..	Calhoun	Hollis	J. W. Caldwell	S. A. Powell	2	2				6		93				80
Old Town....	Calhoun	Old Town	S. E. Wallace	B. J. Hastimgs	3	18	6			1		76				1 00
Poplar Springs	Calhoun	Reid	S. E. Wallace	W. J. Vance	2	7	3	4				146		400	40	2 10
Pittsboro	Calhoun	Pittsboro	J A Kil'ngsworth	J. L. Johnson	1	1	1	1				43				90
Pine Grove ..	Yalobusha	Youngs	J. W. Trusty	G. C. Trusty	1	2				1		66				85
Pilgrim's Rest.	Yalobusha	Pine Valley	G. W. Wright	J. M. Tate	4	1	1	2				17				70
Pilgrim's Rest	Calhoun	Pitts	J. F. McKibben	A. Brasher	2							70		312		1 10
Pleasant Grove	Chickasaw.	Thorn										42				
Pleasant Ridge	Calhoun	Sarepta	G. W. Riley	G. B. Shepherd	1			1	2			54				1 00
Providence ..	Calhoun	Banner	D. F. Hoyle	C. C. Bell	4	4		3	2		1	67				50
Rocky Mount.	Calhoun	Reid	J. L. Roberts	J. O. Brown	1	6	7	2	3	1	1	106				1 05
Sarepta.....	Calhoun	Sarepta	G. W. Riley	W. H. Reid				1	2		2	66				1 00
Shirley Ridge	Calhoun	Ellzey	J. F. McKibben	E L Vanlandingham				4	11	1		42				65
Spring Creek	Calhoun	Banner	A. J. Gaines	E. S. Shaw	4	1		7	11	1	3	120				1 50
Turkey Creek	Calhoun	Pine Valley	J. L. Roane	E. H. Reynolds	2	6	1	6	1		2	120				90

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